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Happy 100th Birthday!



100th Birthday in 2014



The ARRL Centennial Convention

Hartford, Connecticut
July 17-19, 2014



Why Hartford?



- The ARRL was established in Hartford in 1914.
- ARRL Headquarters and W1AW are located in nearby Newington, Connecticut.
- New England has many places that are of historical significance to radio.

American Radio Relay League Station W1AW

American Radio Relay League Station 1AW

Hiram Percy Maxim, Owner 276 No. Whitney Street, Hartford, Conn.

Radio _____

Your _____ signals were worked here on _____ at about _____
heard

A.M. E.S.T.
P.M.

on Tuska three-circuit tuner and two stages audio amplification, Baldwin phones.

Audibility _____

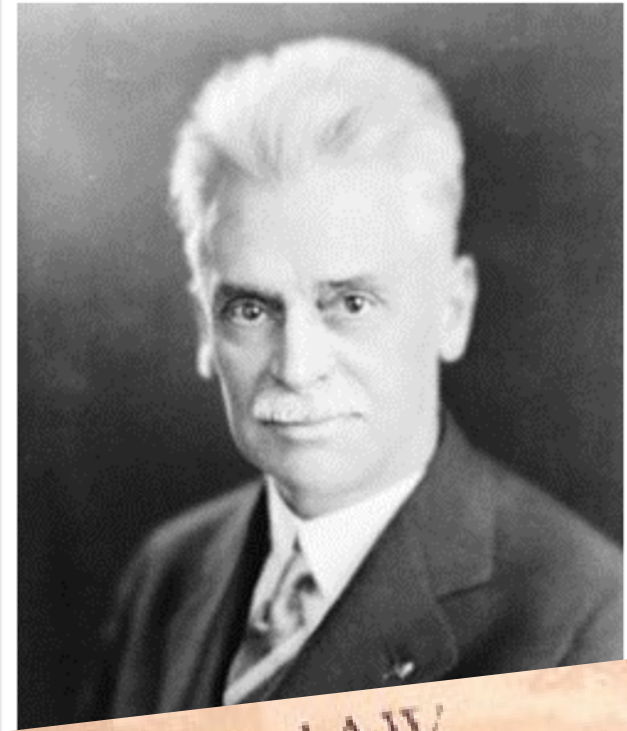
Remarks: *Try for Mr. Max heard here 7:15*
Quality 854

 Would like report on 1AW's signals if you hear them. Best 73's.

Hiram Percy Maxim Operator

1AW

Wave-length _____
QRM _____
QRN _____
QSS _____
Weather _____
Tone _____
Wave _____



American Radio Relay League Station 1AW
276 No. Whitney Street, Hartford, Conn.
Hiram Percy Maxim, Owner

Why Hartford?



- The Connecticut Convention Center can be accessed from major interstates and airports.
- Hartford is located between New York City and Boston.
- The Hartford region has a wealth of hotels, restaurants and other world-class attractions.

Centennial Convention

Connecticut Convention Center



Hartford Downtown Marriott



**Headquarters Hotel
is attached to the
Convention Center**



Hotel Choices



Visit ARRL2014.org for details



Connecticut Convention Center



Located only 15 minutes from
ARRL Headquarters

Free shuttle buses will be available between
ARRL HQ and the Convention Center



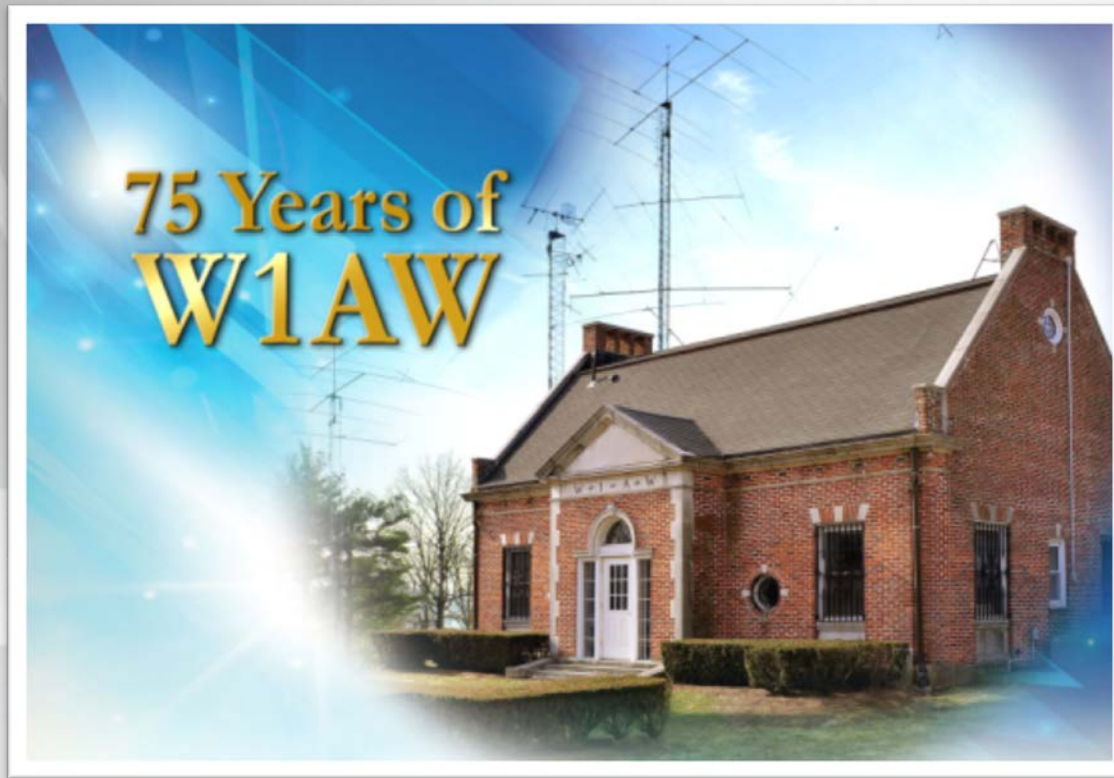
ARRL Headquarters and W1AW



**While attending the convention, enjoy a tour of
ARRL Headquarters and W1AW**

ARRL Headquarters and W1AW

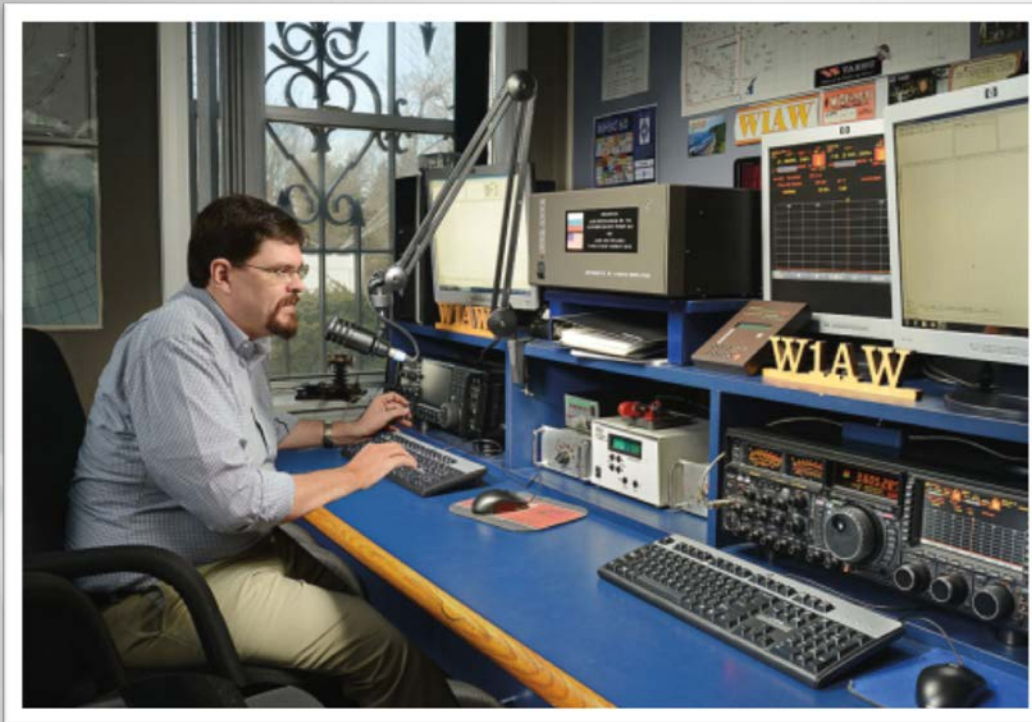
Open throughout the Convention and on Sunday



The Hiram Percy Maxim Memorial Station



W1AW Will Be Open for Guest Operators



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ARRL Centennial Convention



A Once in a Lifetime Opportunity to Celebrate... ARRL's 100th Birthday

- Have Fun and a Great Time!
- Enjoy First Rate Exhibits
- Hear VIP Speakers and Presentations
- Attend National Meetings for Amateur Radio Groups and Organizations

ARRL Centennial Convention



- Learn at world class seminars and forums
- Showcase Amateur Radio and the ARRL
- Meet Amateurs and friends from around the world and from around the corner
- Meet who's who in Amateur Radio



- Technical Innovations & Advancements
- On-The-Air Operating Activities
- Public Service Communications
- Education
- Club Development and Support



ARRL EXPO is a showcase of ARRL exhibits, activities and programs that exemplify the best of Amateur Radio





Exhibitors will include manufacturers and retailers showcasing their latest products and services.

Here are just some of the exhibitors who are planning to attend:



Exhibitors

KENWOOD

Kenwood U.S.A. Corporation


ICOM®



YAESU
The radio

Ham
Radio
Deluxe

MFJ

 **ELECRAFT**®



Expert Amps USA

– Amplifiers with a PhD! –

DX®
ENGINEERING

HamTestOnline™
The software that knows you™

 **QRZ.COM**


**Quicksilver
Radio**

hy-gain®
Antennas, Rotators & Towers

CQ **Amateur Radio**

 **GAP**
ANTENNA PRODUCTS, INC.

rt SYSTEMS
RADIO PROGRAMMING MADE EASY





There will be an indoor **Flea Market** at the air conditioned Connecticut Convention Center Friday and Saturday.

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Thursday July 17

- **Contest University**

Tim Duffy, K3LR

- **DX University**

Wayne Mills, N7NG and Dave Anderson, K4SV

- **RFI 101**

ARRL Lab Manager Ed Hare, W1RFI and Mike Martin, K3RFI

- **Public Service Communications Academy**

ARRL Emergency Preparedness Manager Mike Corey, KI1U

- **Amateur Satellites: The Basics**

Barry Baines, WD4ASW

- **Amateur Radio Leadership and Training Tools**

Katie Allen, WY7KRA

- **Continuing Legal Education for Amateur Radio Legal Professionals**

Bart Lee, K6VK and Chris Imlay, W3KD



Full and Half Day Forums

Thursday July 17



- There will be a special luncheon for all seminar participants on Thursday.
- Tickets will also be available for anyone who wants to attend just the luncheon.

Friday and Saturday Forums

Joe Taylor, K1JT

Rob Macedo, KD1CY

Gordon West, WB6NOA

Randy Thompson, K5ZD

Dean Straw, N6BV

Steve Ford, WB8IMY

Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH

Chris Imlay, W3KD

Carl Luetzelschwab, K9LA

Mike Martin, K3RFI



WRTC held in Massachusetts the week before the Convention



Additional information: wrtc2014.org

International Guests Welcome Reception

Thursday, July 17

**There will be a reception to welcome
international visitors:**

Thursday evening

5pm to 7pm at the Convention Center.



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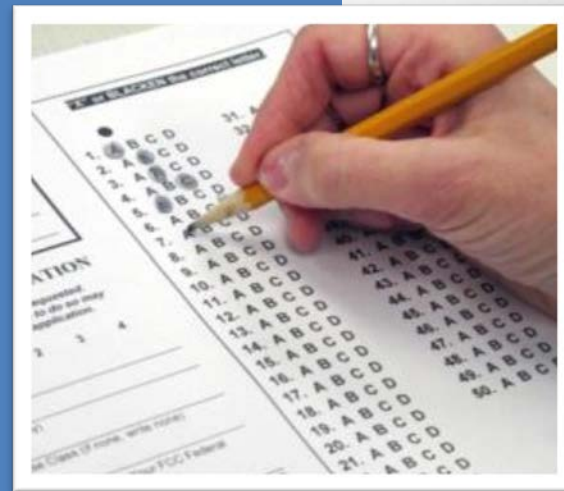
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Friday July 18th

- Opening Ceremony Friday Morning
- Exhibits, ARRL EXPO 9 am to 5 pm
- Indoor Flea Market
- Forums and Seminars
- Licensing Exams
- ARRL HQ and W1AW Tours
- Hartford Bus Tours with on/off stops
- Wouff Hong Ceremony



Friday Night Banquet

Conclude Friday's Activities...

attend our Gala Banquet



Keynote Speaker:
W. Craig Fugate, KK4INZ
Administrator
Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)



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ARRL HQ and W1AW Tours...and



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ARRL Centennial Convention

2 Day Ticket: Friday and Saturday

In advance: \$25 At the door: \$30

21 and younger: No charge

Friday Banquet: \$75

Saturday Presidents' Breakfast: \$35

3 Day Ticket: Thursday, Friday, Saturday

With Thursday seminar track and lunch

Adult: \$75

Age 21 and younger: \$50



ARRL Centennial Convention

\$5,000 Grand Prize

“Centennial Station Giveaway”

Sponsored by ARRL and R&L Electronics

Create your own dream station!

The winner can select a radio, antenna, and accessories valued up to \$5,000!

All paid ARRL National Centennial Convention registrants will be entered in a \$5,000 Grand Prize drawing (door prize). The winner will receive a \$5,000 prize voucher, redeemable for products sold by R&L Electronics.

Convention registrants do not need to present to be included in the drawing.



Bring Your Family & Friends

There are many family activities in the Hartford area



Hartford Area Attractions



Wadsworth Atheneum
Oldest Public Art Museum in the US



ARRL Centennial Convention

If you would like to volunteer

Visit: ARRL2014.org



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ARRL National Centennial Convention Join us in celebrating 100 Years

*Convention Registration will begin January 2014



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ARRL National Centennial Convention 2014

Thursday, July 17, 2014 - Saturday, July 19, 2014

Connecticut Convention Center
100 Columbus Boulevard
Hartford, Connecticut 06103
United States

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Contact Information

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See you at the ARRL Centennial Convention

July 17 – July 19, 2014
Hartford, Connecticut
ARRL2014.org





But wait – there's more!



Regional Centennial Conventions

Event	Location	Date
Orlando Hamcation	Orlando, Florida	February 7-9
Dayton Hamvention	Dayton, Ohio	May 16-18
SEA-PAC	Seaside, Oregon	June 6 - 8
HAM-COM	Plano, Texas	June 13-14
Huntsville Hamfest	Huntsville, Alabama	August 16-17
Pacificon	Santa Clara, California	October 10-12



Celebrate the ARRL Centennial On the Air!

Centennial QSO Party

Two Events:

- The Centennial Points Challenge
- Worked all States with W1AW



Celebrate QSO Party

- Centennial QSO Party Started January, 2014
- Lasts all year – open to all
- Automatic scoring via Logbook of The World



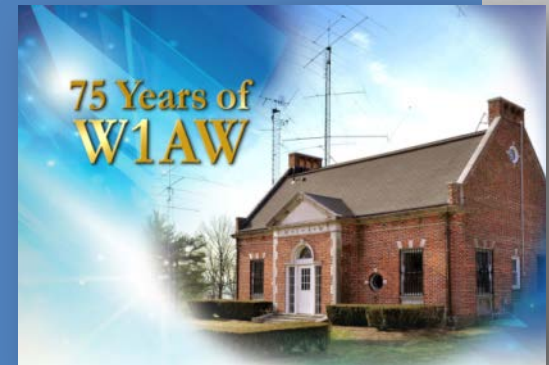
Centennial Points Challenge

- QSO points for ARRL members, appointees, volunteers, staff, affiliated club stations and others
- Top scorers by ARRL Section will receive awards
- Awards for achievement levels (every 500 points)
- LoTW not required
- www.arrl.org/centennial-qso-party



Worked All States with W1AW

- W1AW is operating from 50 states +
- Every State for two one-week periods
- Endorsements for DC, KP4, some territories
- Commemorative QSLs (sign-up for bureau)
- Certificates and plaques



During our Centennial Year

**Get on the air
And have fun!
See you on the bands.**





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